

Saskatchewan Economic Checklist

January 2016

ECONOMIC INDICATORS	PERIOD	VALUES	YEAR-OVER-YEAR % GROWTH	CANADIAN AVERAGE (%)	RANK IN CANADA % GROWTH
Population	October 1, 2015	1,138,879	1.1%	0.9%	2nd
Number of People Employed	Dec 2015	570,900	-0.2%	0.8%	6th
Unemployment Rate(Seasonally-Unadjusted)	Dec 2015	5.1%	--	6.7%	1st
Economic Growth					
Real GDP at Basic Prices in Billions of Dollars*	2014**	\$59.3B	1.6%	2.4%	5th
Average Forecasted Economic Growth (Real GDP)***	2015	--	-0.5%	1.2%	8th
Forecasted Economic Growth (Real GDP)	2015				
-CIBC (November 2015)		--	-0.1%	1.1%	8th
-Global Insight (November 2015)		--	-0.8%	1.0%	8th
-Scotiabank (November 2015)		--	0.1%	1.1%	8th
-TD Bank (October 2015)		--	-0.8%	1.2%	8th
-RBC (December 2015)		--	-0.6%	1.2%	8th
-BMO (December 2015)		--	-0.1%	1.3%	8th
-CBOC (Autumn 2015)		--	-1.1%	1.2%	9th
Average Forecasted Economic Growth (Real GDP)***	2015	--	-0.5%	1.2%	8th

* Statistics Canada reports GDP at market prices, chained 2007 dollars.

** Preliminary estimates

*** Average of seven private sector forecasts

Figures are as of January 10, 2016

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